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GAME NOTES

West Kelowna Warriors at Wenatchee Wild

Sunday March 3, 2019 6:00 pm



Tonight the #3 seed Wenatchee Wild and #6 seed West Kelowna Warriors meet in Game 2 of a BCHL Interior Division quarterfinal series. The series is a best-of-seven format with Wenatchee hosting Games 1 and 2, then if necessary, games 6 and 7. Games 3, 4, and 5 if necessary will be played at Royal LePage Place in West Kelowna, BC, Canada. Wenatchee leads the best of seven series, 1-0.

HEAD TO HEAD: The series began last night and Wenatchee shook off a first period 1-0 deficit to post a 5-4 win. **Matt Dorsey** led the way with a 4-point night (1g, 3a). **Murphy Stratton** and **Blake Bargar** each scored twice, and Mike Hardman buried a pair of goals for the Warriors. The Wild are 8-6-2 all-time against the Warriors in regular season, and 5-2-1 at Town Toyota Center. The two franchises have never met in the postseason prior to this year.

WHO TO WATCH FOR: Matt Gosiewski (28g, 23a) led the Wild in the regular season, followed by Murphy Stratton (13g, 33a) and captain Lucas Sowder (11g, 34a). Defenseman Chad Sasaki led the blueliners with 42 points (15g, 27a). West Kelowna is powered by Mike Hardman (39g, 33a), Chase Dubois (21g, 41a), and Willie Reim (24g, 34a). Wyatt Head led the defensemen in scoring (6g, 36a).

 SPECIAL TEAMS:
 WEN PP - 40/220 18.2% 14th
 WEN PK - 40/211 81.0% 8th

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 WK PP - 52/222 23.4% 2nd
 WK PK - 55/235 76.6% 14th

SPECIAL TEAMS (PLAYOFFS): WEN PP - 2/4 50.0% WK PP - 1/1 100%

MOVING ON: The series shifts to West Kelowna for Games 3 and 4 on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 5 and 6 at 7:00 pm. If necessary. Game 5 would be in West Kelowna on Friday March 8. If needed, Game 6 will be in Wenatchee on Sunday March 10 at 8:05 pm, and Game 7 on Monday March 11 at 7:05 pm.

MEDIA: Tonight's game will be aired locally on "NewsRadio 560 KPQ" and streamed free world wide, and also available on a pay-per-view basis with HockeyTV.com. Pregame show airs tonight at 5:45 pm.

